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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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	:	Group Art Unit: 2622
Application No.: 09/859,437	)	
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Filed: May 18, 2001	)	
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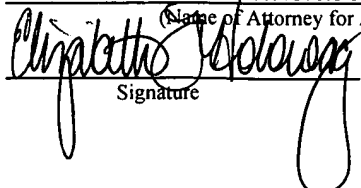
AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

A. Introduction

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 8, 2005. Please  
amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.

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